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PRESIDENT JOHNSON
... at Press Conference

National

ATTORNEY WARNS ... An attorney for Alabama school boards argued today before a federal court in Jacksonville, Fla., that a recent decision upholding federal integration guidelines will lead to the assignment of pupils on a racial basis. "We shall force children to go to school on the basis of race," said John C. Satterfield, among a battery of lawyers attacking a Dec. 29 decree upholding guidelines issued by the U. S. Office of Education.

BODD MAKES OFFER ... Sen. Thomas J. Dodd, denying any misconduct, offered today to return the money raised at testimonial dinners for him to any persons who attended under the impression they were contributing only to his campaign funds.

The Connecticut Democrat, in advance of public hearings by the Senate ethics committee on his financial affairs starting Monday, said income he received from the testi-

monials was a tax free gift to be used as he saw fit.

Actually, he said, \$140,000 of the \$170,000 he received from a series of such dinners went to pay political debts, and the extra cost of holding public office more than used up the remainder.

The senator, making public a financial statement showing a net worth of about \$54,000, said "I have not enriched myself from public office. Indeed, the contrary is the fact."

CLARK SWORN IN ... Ramsey Clark was sworn in today as the nation's 65th attorney general with President Johnson's mandate to wage a war against crime-caused fear in the nation. At a ceremony in the Justice Department auditorium, Johnson said he welcomed Clark into the cabinet as "the lawyer for all Americans, the nation's advocate at the bar of justice."

International

DECENT FOOD IN RUSSIA ... The Communist future must include decent restaurant food, the Kremlin ordered today. To carry out this revolution it mobilized a dozen government ministries and the entire Communist party and turned them into a kind of kitchen cabinet charged with ending the era of the Russian greasy spoon by 1970. Foreigners in Moscow, long used to tasteless fare and surly service in the capital's "best" restaurants, appeared skeptical.

Happy Birthday Tomorrow

Mrs. Harold W. Barnes, Carolyn Crow, Marilyn Crow, Tee Dozier, Gordon Gilpin, Lauren Lee Glauser, Peter Lloyd Kemper, Teri Keith, Miss Eleanor Mathews, Mrs. Walter H. Mensch, Dennis Nowlin, Mrs. Joe Shippe, Eileen Sprick, Mrs. Dorsey Walker, Mrs. Lewis Weibel

HAPPY BIRTHDAY SUNDAY

Jerry Dale Bassett, Miss Betty Bass, Mrs. Tommie Bradley, Mrs. Harold Brooks, Richard Brownlee, Mrs. O. W. Buescher, Mrs. Betty Chilcott, A. F. Fullington, Roy Hart, Mrs. J. B. Mahan III, Jerry Morris, Mrs. H. R. Mueller, Mrs. William J. Reagan, Miss Shirley Ellen Sapp, Gregg Schrage, H. H. Tip-ton

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38 Miles North of Hanoi

Jets Blast Steel Mill

By PETER ARNETT

SAIGON (AP) — U. S. Air Force F105 Thunderchiefs blasted today at North Vietnam's biggest heavy industry, that Thai Nguyen steel mill, and shot up three Communist MIGs that tried to intervene, the U. S. Command announced.

"Bombs were on target" at the mill, 38 miles north of Hanoi, but there was no immediate assessment of the results, a spokesman said.

The plant, situated in a coal and metal mining region, was reported to have been

contributing bridge sections, cargo barges and petroleum drums to the Communist war effort. In military potential it could rate right along with such earlier targets as power plants, oil depots and transportation facilities.

The spokesman said that, of the challenging jet fighters, one was destroyed, another probably was downed and the third damaged. None of the Thunderchiefs was reported hit.

For the first time in two years of American aerial operations from bases in Thailand, it was officially announced that the Thunderchiefs staged the raid from that Southeast Asian ally of the United States. Secrecy that had shrouded these operations was lifted Thursday in Bangkok, the Thai capital.

The wrecked MIG was the 37th of the

Soviet-designed warcraft listed as destroyed, against the loss of 10 U. S. planes, in dogfights over North Vietnam dating back to April 4, 1965.

North Vietnam's pilots, whose bases remain immune from attack by orders from Washington, had avoided contact since the Americans shot down nine MIGs in two clashes in early January. Seven were destroyed Jan. 2 and two others Jan. 6.

The raid over the North came during a comparative lull in ground fighting in South Vietnam, punctuated by a sharp clash between U. S. paratroopers and the Viet Cong in the tangled jungles of war Zone C.

A U. S. official in Bangkok, the Thai capital, announced Thursday for the first time that American planes were using

bases in Thailand for operations against North Vietnam. This had been generally known for many months and repeatedly published, but Thai officials refused previously to let it be said officially.

Fighting died down to its lowest intensity in two weeks along the demilitarized zone, the scene of constant mortar attacks against U. S. Marine positions.

In the central highlands and the Mekong Delta, where a dozen allied military operations are in progress, no contact was reported with the Viet Cong.

However, the elusive enemy showed Thursday morning it still has plenty of capacity to hit hard and run. Viet Cong units launched simultaneous attacks on Dur Hoa, 12 miles west of Saigon and the headquarters of the Vietnamese 25th Division, and against a nearby district town.

M.U. Names Norm Stewart Cage Coach

Norman Stewart, Tiger star in basketball and baseball, will return to the University as head basketball coach, Chancellor John W. Schwada announced today.

Stewart's appointment as successor to Bob Vanatta, who resigned to accept an administrative position with the University after 25 years in the coaching field, was approved today by the Board of Curators. Stewart will assume duties Wednesday.

Stewart was an all-conference and all-American basketball player and pitched on the NCAA championship baseball team of the Tigers in the mid-1950s.

AFTER BRIEF careers in professional baseball with the Baltimore Orioles and in basketball with the St. Louis Hawks, Stewart returned to the University for four years as assistant basketball and assistant baseball coach.

Since 1962 Stewart has been head basketball coach at the State College of Iowa. In his six-year career as head coach, his teams have won 97 and lost 42 games and he produced conference championship teams in 1961-62 and 1963-64.

Stewart came to the University as a freshman from Shelbyville where he won all-state basketball recognition in 1952. He captained Tiger basketball teams in 1955 and 1956, was a Big Eight all conference player in the 1954-55 and 1955-56 seasons, and led the Big Eight in scoring for the 1955-56 season. In his senior year he was selected on the Helms All-America team.

AS A BASEBALL pitcher he was a member of the 1954 Tiger NCAA championship team.

In his Iowa position, he coached State to a fourth-place finish in the NCAA small college tournament of 1963-64 and produced the only two basketball all-America players in the school's history.

Stewart, 32, holds Bachelor of Science in Education and Master of Education degrees from the University here. His wife, the former Miss Virginia Zimmerly of Kansas City, also is a Missouri graduate. The Stewarts have three children, two sons and a daughter.

Chancellor Schwada said that Don Faurt, athletic director, and Dan Devine, who will become athletic director on July 1, recommended Stewart's appointment. It also was approved unanimously by the committee on intercollegiate athletics headed by Dr. Arthur Nebel, committee chairman and dean of the School of Social and Community Service.



Inspiration for the weatherman. (Missourian Photo by Bob Madden)

Spring Fever's for Real

"With temperatures reaching the 70s and the 80s we can expect a few outbreaks of spring fever."

Sounds like a weather forecast doesn't it? Well, it came from the Weather Bureau in Kansas City this morning. And then it went on to say just what caused spring fever, which the bureau described is "Generally marked by a feeling of lassitude and is associated with

physiological changes going on in the body in order to meet the changing conditions of the external environment."

The weatherman says this is how you get spring fever: "When the temperature rises, the body has to get rid of heat. Dilation of the blood vessels occurs so that blood can be carried nearer the body surface where heat can be lost more quickly to the outside air."

"In the early process of this blood circulation change, plasma—a watery substance in the blood—increases in amount and is the basis for the long-held idea of 'thinning blood' in the spring. The general enervated feeling that takes place is simply the result of the body's reaction to the large amount of work going on in the body process of shifting its blood circulation and production to cope with a warming external environment."

Rollins Indicted by Jury

James Rollins, 26, charged Wednesday in Magistrate Court with possession of narcotics, was brought into Circuit Court this morning under indictment by the Boone County Grand Jury on the same charge of possession.

The grand jury indictment was returned yesterday afternoon after the jury had talked most of the day with Miss Mary Louise Monsees, charged Tuesday in Magistrate Court with possession of narcotics, and other persons.

Rollins appeared this morning in Circuit Court technically without counsel, but Granville Collins, public defender appointed to the case when Rollins was arraigned in Magistrate Court, spoke briefly at the session.

COLLINS SAID that because the grand jury indictment so closely followed the Magistrate Court proceedings it had not been possible to determine if Rollins was in need of public defense. Judge John Cave then postponed arraignment until March 20, so that Collins could determine Rollins' need for legal aid.

Rollins was arrested at 9:30 p.m. yesterday at the University School of Law by city and county law officers and taken to the Boone County Jail. He was released at 10 p.m. when his \$5,000 bond was posted by Paul Schmidt, 503 Garth Ave.

COLLINS THIS MORNING questioned the need for the \$3,500 increase in bond set for Rollins. The bond in Magistrate Court had been only \$1,500. Collins said later that he planned to submit such a motion, asking for a reduction in bond. The indictment of Rollins by the grand jury eliminates the scheduled preliminary hearing March 16 in Magistrate Court and places the charge directly in Circuit Court for arraignment and trial. The purpose of the preliminary hearing is to determine if there is sufficient evidence for trial, but that determination is included in a grand jury indictment.

Sputnik Launched

MOSCOW (UPI) — The Soviet Union launched its third unmanned sputnik within 10 days today, strengthening reports the Russians plan a multi-manned space flight.

Stalin's Daughter Defects

ROME (AP)—Joseph Stalin's 42-year-old daughter, Svetlana, reported to have defected from the Soviet Union, left Rome late today aboard a special U.S. government plane, the newspaper Giornale D'Italia said.

Earlier a police official at Rome airport said Miss Stalina had arrived in Rome a few days ago from India. The newspaper said she had been staying in Rome since at the residence of the U.S. ambassador. There was no confirmation of the report.

In Washington the State Department maintained silence but other sources disputed the Rome report of a flight to the United States in a U.S. plane. Those informants expressed doubt Miss Stalina would come to the United States right away.

Sources in Washington said on Thursday the former dictator's only daughter had gone to India, defected through the U.S. Em-

bassy in New Delhi and gone on to Rome.

The State Department and U.S. Soviet and Indian officials in New Delhi, Rome and Moscow all disclaimed any knowledge of the matter. But Russian sources in Moscow said Miss Stalina left the Soviet Union about two months ago with the ashes of an Indian believed to have been her husband.

Informants at Rome airport said Miss Stalina arrived in Rome early Wednesday on a flight from New Delhi.

The Rome Airport News Service said it was told by a police official assigned to the international arrival and departure terminals that "a person who arranged for (Miss Stalina's) arrival" was due in Rome eventually.

"Only after that time will the entire matter be made public," the unidentified police officer said.

The sources in Moscow said Miss Stalina had been living in the Soviet capital with an Indian Communist named Brijesh Singh who worked as a translator for the Soviet "Progress" publishing organization.

The informants said Singh died last December or January at the age of 59 and was cremated in Moscow. They said Miss Stalina obtained permission to accompany his ashes to India and visit his family there.

Stalin's daughter used the name Stalina because Russian women customarily add an "A" to their names.

She has lived in obscurity since her father's death in 1953 but was the subject of lively gossip while he lived. Reports had circulated in Moscow of numerous romances, and several of her lovers were reportedly jailed for incurring Stalin's displeasure.